

Table 4.7 Employment Status of the Foreign-Born Civilian Population 16 Years and Over from Latin America by Sex and Sub-region of Birth: 2003
(Numbers in thousands. 1/ 2/ 3/)

SEX AND EMPLOYMENT STATUS	LATIN AMERICA		REGION OF BIRTH					
			CARIBBEAN		CENTRAL AMERICA		SOUTH AMERICA	
	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent	Number	Percent
Total Civilian Labor Force	11,472	100.0	2,046	100.0	8,028	100.0	1,398	100.0
Employed	10,472	91.3	1,871	91.5	7,285	90.7	1,316	94.1
Unemployed	1,000	8.7	175	8.5	743	9.3	82	5.9
Male Civilian Labor Force	7,194	100.0	1,004	100.0	5,379	100.0	811	100.0
Employed	6,602	91.8	901	89.7	4,940	91.8	761	93.9
Unemployed	593	8.2	103	10.3	440	8.2	50	6.1
Female Civilian Labor Force	4,278	100.0	1,042	100.0	2,649	100.0	588	100.0
Employed	3,870	90.5	970	93.1	2,345	88.6	555	94.4
Unemployed	407	9.5	71	6.9	303	11.4	33	5.6

1/ The majority of those born in 'Central America' are from Mexico.

2/ Employment status refers to reference week of the survey.

3/ The data in this table differ slightly from data published by the Bureau of Labor Statistics. See 'Profile of the Foreign-Born Population in the United States: 2000' P23-206, page 38, footnote 1.

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